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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Christopher Lyon
For : HOLDER AND TRANSPORTER FOR
FLUID COLLECTING TUBES
Serial No. : 10/753,581
Filing Date : January 8, 2004
Confirmation No. : 6626
Examiner : Natalia A. Levkovich
Art Unit : 1743
Our Docket : LYON 2 00002

**PETITION FOR REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME
TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 15, 2005**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

An Office Action was mailed by the Examiner on November 15, 2005. A response was due February 15, 2006.

Applicants submit herewith a One-Month Request for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to delay the filing of a response to the Office Action until March 15, 2006. The fees indicated above are authorized to be charged to a credit card. The appropriate form PTO-2038 is enclosed for this purpose. If the credit card is unable to be

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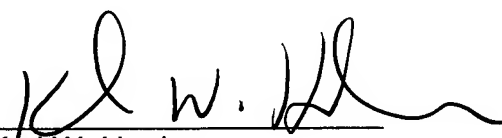
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charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. If it is determined that a longer or shorter extension of time is required, it is respectfully requested that this be a request therefor.

Applicant's attorney can be reached at the telephone number below if any further information is needed.

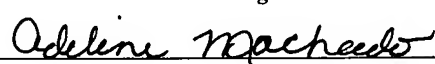
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